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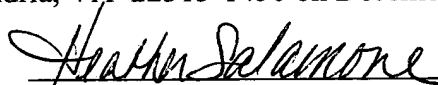
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In the Matter of the Application of: Kimura, et al.  
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**Request for Certificate of Correction Under 37 C.F.R. 1.322**

Sir:

The Applicant respectfully requests that a Certificate of Correction be entered for the subject patent to correct typographical errors occurring in the claim 2. No new matter has been added as a result of these corrections.

Specifically, in column 8, line 50, "recess formed between the firs guides in the first housing;" has been changed to -- recess formed between the first guides in the first housing; -- to

correct a typographical error. Entry of the attached Certificate of Correction reflecting the changes stated herein is respectfully requested.

A charge is not required for the Certificate of Correction, since the errors were incurred through the fault of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, which is clearly disclosed in the records of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Respectfully submitted,



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## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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DATED : March 14, 2005  
INVENTOR(S) : Kimura, et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In column 8, line 50, after "between the" delete "firs" and insert --first-- therefore.

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